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| 1.    | ⊠<br>□      | This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2.    |             | This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.  This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3.    |             | (6), (9) and (24) indicated below   | in national examination procedures (55 0.5.   | .C. 3/1(1)). The submission must include items (5), |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4.    | $\boxtimes$ | The US has been elected by the  | expiration of 19 months from the priority dat | te (Article 31).                                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5.    | $\boxtimes$ | A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c) (2))  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       |             | a.   is attached hereto (requ   | aired only if not communicated by the Intern  | national Bureau).                                   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|       |             | c. $\square$ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6.    |             | An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       |             | a. is attached hereto.  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       |             |   | bmitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).            |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 9 8.  |             | d. An English language translation  |   | 2.4 (* 1- 10 (26 H 0 0 27H/-)(2))                   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9.    |             | An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).  An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10.   |             | An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11.   | $\boxtimes$ |   | minary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409       | 9).   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12.   | $\boxtimes$ | A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210).  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| It    | ems 1       | 13 to 20 below concern document   | . ,   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13.   |             |   | ement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.             | 6.2   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 14.   |             |   | ording. A separate cover sheet in complianc   | ce with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15.   |             | A FIRST preliminary amendment.  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 16.   |             | A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT  | preliminary amendment.                        |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 17.   |             | A substitute specification.   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 18.   |             | A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 19.   |             | A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 20.   |             |   | international application under 35 U.S.C. 154 | , , , ,   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 21.   |             | A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 23.   | $\boxtimes$ | Other items or information:   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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